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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/972,916 Confirmation No.: 4645
Applicant : Peter M. THULÉ, M.D.
Filed : October 10, 2001
Title : GLUCOSE SENSITIVE REGULATOR OF INSULIN
TRANSCRIPTION
Group Art Unit : 1635
Examiner : ANGELL, Jon E.
Atty. Docket No. : US 1292/01(VA)
Date : August 14, 2008

**TRANSMITTAL OF APPEAL BRIEF
AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an APPEAL BRIEF in this application, with respect to the Notice of Appeal filed on June 11, 2008.
2. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 41.20(b)(2), the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is \$510.00, which is enclosed.

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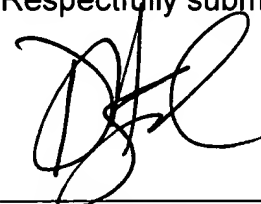
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3. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 (a)(1) for one (1) month, from August 11, 2008 to September 11, 2008, and the fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.
4. A check for \$630.00 to cover the fee for filing an Appeal Brief (\$510.00), and the extension of time fee for one (1) month (\$120.00), is enclosed.

It is believed that no additional fee is due for this submission. However, should that determination be incorrect, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 01-0433, and notify the undersigned in due course.

Should the Examiner have any questions or wish to discuss further this matter, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

Respectfully submitted,



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